

North Dakota Industrial Commission
Docket for Hearing
Wednesday, August 23, 2006 @ 9:00 a.m.
N.D. Oil & Gas Division
1016 East Calgary Avenue
Bismarck, North Dakota

- Case No. 9083: Application of Pogo Producing Co. for an order establishing a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of all of Sections 17 and 20, T.158N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said drilling unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundaries thereof, as an exception to NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9084: Application of Pogo Producing Co. for an order establishing a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E/2 W/2, E/2 (all) of Section 18, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E/2 W/2, E/2 (all) of Section 19, T.158N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, and authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within said drilling unit at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundaries thereof, as an exception to NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
Notice to DISMISS received 8/16/06
- Case No. 9085: Application of Zargon Oil & Gas Ltd for an order pursuant to NDAC Section 43-02-03-88.1 authorizing the conversion to enhanced recovery into the Haas-Madison Unit of the following wells: T. Drangsholt 6 well, NW/4 NW/4 of Section 26; Zargon H. Bergstrom #7 well, NW/4 SW/4 of Section 23; and Edwin Engstrom #4 well, SW/4 SW/4 of Section 24; all in T.163N., R.83W., Haas Field, Bottineau County, ND, pursuant to NDAC Chapter 43 02 05 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9086: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Tri-C Resources, Inc. #16-15 Gamma-State well, located in the SW/4 SE/4 of Section 16, T.154N., R.100W., Williams County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
Notice to CONTINUE to 9/27/06 received 8/21/06
- Case No. 9087: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co. LP for an order extending the outline of the Blue Buttes Field to include Section 24, T.150N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND; designating Sections 13 and 24, T.150N., R.96W., McKenzie County, ND as a spacing unit in Zone II of the Blue Buttes-Bakken Pool, for which spacing has been established on the basis of one horizontal well per 1280 acres; or granting such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9088: Application of Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Co LP for an order extending the outline of the Ross Field to include Section 20, T.156N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND; amending the current orders for the Ross-Bakken Pool so as to designate Sections 19 and 20, T.156N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND, as a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone II of the Ross-Bakken Pool, for which spacing has been established on the basis of one horizontal well per 1280 acres; or granting such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9089: Proper spacing for the development of the Banks-Red River Gas Pool, McKenzie County, ND , redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Hess Corporation
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- Case No. 9090: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Hess Corporation Nelson #1-11H well, NW/4 NW/4 of Section 11, T.158N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9091: Application of Hess Corporation for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Nelson #1-11H well, consisting of all of Section 11, T.158N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9092: Application of Hess Corporation for an order establishing a 1280-acre drilling unit consisting of Sections 6 and 7, T.156N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well in the Bakken Formation to be drilled at any location thereon not closer than 500 feet to the boundaries of such drilling unit, or for such relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9093: Application of Hess Corporation for an order amending the applicable orders so as to include the N/2 and the N/2 S/2 of Section 4, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, within the Beaver Lodge Field; designating Sections 4 and 9, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, as a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone III of the Beaver Lodge-Bakken Pool; or granting such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9094: Application of Hess Corporation for an order amending the applicable orders so as to include all of Section 3 and the N/2 NE/4 of Section 10, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, within the Beaver Lodge Field; designating said Sections 3 and 10, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, as a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone III of the Beaver Lodge-Bakken Pool; or granting such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9095: Application of Hess Corporation for an order amending the applicable orders so as to include the E/2 of Section 22 and all of Section 27, T.156N., R.95W., within the field outline of the Beaver Lodge Field; including Sections 22 and 27, T.156N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, as a 1280-acre spacing unit within Zone III of the Beaver Lodge-Bakken Pool; or granting such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9096: Application of Murex Petroleum Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Beaver Lodge-Bakken Pool consisting of Sections 13 and 24, T.156N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, and allowing the recovery of a non-consent penalty from all lessees and unleased mineral interest owners who have elected not to participate in the risk and cost of drilling the Angie Marie #13-24H well, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9097: Application of Murex Petroleum Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Temple-Bakken Pool consisting of Sections 13 and 24, T.158N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, and allowing the recovery of a non-consent penalty from all lessees and unleased mineral interest owners who have elected not to participate in the risk and cost of drilling the Leslie Earl #13-24H well, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9098: Application of Murex Petroleum Corp. for an order pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Midway-Bakken Pool consisting of Sections 28 and 33, T.157N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, and allowing the recovery of a non-consent penalty from all lessees and unleased mineral interest owners who have elected not to participate in the risk and cost of drilling the LeAnn Rae #28-33H well, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9099: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 3 and 10, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9100: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 5 and 8, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9101: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 14 and 23, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9102: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 16 and 21, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9103: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 18 and 19, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9104: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 25 and 36, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9105: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 27 and 34, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9106: Application of Petroleum Development Corp., for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit for the Bakken Formation consisting of Sections 29 and 32, T.151N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, and allowing a horizontal well to be drilled thereon at any location not closer than 500 feet to the boundary of the drilling unit, or for such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9062: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Whiting Oil and Gas Corp. #44-1H Bartleson well, SE/4 SE/4 of Section 1, T.152N., R.93W., Mountrail County, ND, define the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9005: (Continued) To consider whether the W/2 SE/4, SW/4, and S/2 NW/4 of Section 29, T.159N., R.103W., Williams County, ND, is the appropriate spacing unit for the CamWest II LP #04 Grenora-Madison Unit well, located 660 feet from the south line and 1980 feet from the east line of Section 29, in the Grenora-Madison Pool.
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- Case No. 9107: Proper spacing for the development of the Bullsnake-Stonewall Pool, Billings County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Missouri Basin Well Service, Inc.
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- Case No. 9108: Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Samuel Gary Jr. & Associates, Inc. #4-1H Manitou well, NW/4 NW/4 of Section 4, T.155N., R.94W., Mountrail County, ND, define the limits of the field, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
- Case No. 9109: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC Section 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit for the Lovdahl #1-16H well described as Sections 9 and 16, T.159N., R.95W., Sauk-Bakken Pool, Williams County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC Section 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9110: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the St. Demetrius-Bakken Pool so as to create and establish six 1280-acre spacing units comprised of the following lands: Sections 6 and 7; Sections 14 and 23; Sections 15 and 22; Sections 25 and 36; Sections 26 and 35; and Sections 27 and 34, T.141N., R.99W., Billings County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well on each spacing unit, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9111: Application of Continental Resources, Inc. for an order creating six 1280-acre drilling units comprised of the following lands: Sections 1 and 12; Sections 2 and 11; Sections 3 and 10; Sections 14 and 23; Sections 15 and 22; and Sections 16 and 21, T.141N., R.98W., Billings County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well within each drilling unit at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9112: Application of Ansbros Petroleum Co., LLC for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 2 and 3, T.141N., R.96W., Dunn County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well therein at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 8967: (Continued) Application of Prima Exploration, Inc. for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 23 and 26, T.156N., R.91W., Mountrail County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well therein at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.
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- Case No. 9113: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 28 and 29, T.142N., R.98W., Billings County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well therein at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other relief as is appropriate.

- Case No. 9114: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 18 and 19, T.157N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well therein at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of Section 43-02-03-18 of the North Dakota Administrative Code, and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9115: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order creating a 1280-acre drilling unit comprised of Sections 34 and 35, T.157N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of a horizontal well therein at a location not less than 500 feet from the boundary as an exception to the provisions of NDAC Section 43-02-03-18, and such other as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9116: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the MonDak-Bakken Pool so as to create six 1280-acre spacing units comprised of the following lands: Section 7, T.147N., R.103W. and Section 12, T.147N., R.104W.; Sections 16 and 21; Sections 17 and 18, T.147N., R.103W.; Sections 1 and 2, T.147N., R.104W.; Sections 26 and 35; and Sections 21 and 22, T.148N., R.104W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within each spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9117: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order amending the field rules for the MonDak-Bakken Pool so as to create a 960-acre spacing unit comprised of Section 19 and the W/2 of Section 20, T.148N., R.104W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9118: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order amending the field rules for the MonDak-Bakken Pool so as to create a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 31, 32, and the W/2 of Section 33, or in the alternative, a 1600-acre spacing unit comprised of Sections 31, 32 and 33, T.149N., R.104W., McKenzie County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary of said spacing unit and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9119: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the Capa-Bakken Pool so as to create a 1280-acre spacing unit comprised of Section 1, T.154N., R.96W., and Section 36, T.155N., R.96W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within said spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary and providing such other relief as is appropriate.

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- Case No. 9120: Application of Headington Oil, LP for an order extending the field boundaries and amending the field rules for the West Tioga-Bakken Pool so as to create two 1280-acre spacing units comprised of Sections 5 and 8 and Sections 6 and 7, T.157N., R.95W., Williams County, ND, authorizing the drilling of one horizontal well within each spacing unit not less than 500 feet to the boundary and providing such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 9121: Application of Zenergy, Inc. for an order pursuant to NDAC Section 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as all of Section 1, T.152N., R.103W., Williams County, ND; authorizing the recovery from each nonparticipating owner a risk penalty as provided by NDCC Section 38-08-08 and such other relief as is appropriate.
- Case No. 8909: (Continued) Proper spacing for the development of the Valley Road-Madison Pool, Renville County, ND, redefine the field limits, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary. Golden Eye Resources, LLC.
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- Case No. 9017: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Bill Barrett Corp. #44-15H Erickson well, SE/4 SE/4 of Section 15, T.156N., R.102W., Williams County, ND, define the limits of the field, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9050: (Continued) Temporary spacing to develop an oil and/or gas pool discovered by the Bill Barrett Corp. #44-19H Miller well, SE/4 SE/4 of Section 19, T.156N., R.103W., Williams County, ND, define the limits of the field, and enact such special field rules as may be necessary.
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- Case No. 9122: Application of Jim Johnston for an order allowing the conversion of the Johnston-State #21-4 well, located in the NE/4 NW/4 of Section 4, T.146N., R.99W., McKenzie County, North Dakota, to a fresh water well.